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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.135(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed May 12, 2005 in the above-identified application. The requested period of extension is <u>1</u> month(s), from August 12, 2005 to <u>September 12, 2005</u>.

A check in the amount of \$120 to cover the extension fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-0585. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

September 12, 2005

(Date)

Respectfully submitted,

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